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TAKOMA CITIZENS LOSE IN PROTEST ON ICE PLANT

In the second hearing since the residents of Takoma Park have voiced their opposition to the construction of the Takoma Park ice and ice cream plant in that section, protesting citizens yesterday heard that District Commissioners had in a recent letter to the company approved erection of the plant on the site chosen.

Attorneys for the company presented a letter written by Secretary Gargas, of the Board of Commissioners, in which the company was informed that the site chosen came within the zoning requirements, and that proximity to the railroad renders the location undesirable for residential development.

HYPOCRISY PUTS PARLEY IN PERIL, SAYS POLITICUS

Treachery Seen in Attitude of Japan and Great Britain Toward China

By POLITICUS. If a demonstration were needed of the depth of the sea of international hypocrisy in which the arms conference threatens to engulf the United States, it is presented by the official record of the secret discussion of the question of "leased territories" in China.

and administrative integrity of China. Manifestly the first step toward this "sovereignty, independence and integrity" was the restoration to China of the various portions of territory which had been forcibly taken from China by the powers. There had been a great show of promises that this would be done. Even when the secret session was over, the word was passed to the waiting newspaper men that these promises had been agreed to.

But when the official statement was issued, it showed how valueless the "agreement in principle" had become at the conference—how triumphant over every promise remained the imperialism and the selfishness of the powers concerned. The result was that not one of these leased territories was even provisionally pledged for restoration to China.

Only the French, whose interests were the smallest, were ready to agree to such a restoration, provided Japan and Great Britain did the same. Neither of these powers would do so. Both indulged in eloquent protestations of friendship for China and then sent after these protestations, the usual weasel paragraph, to suck out the eggs of their promises.

Japan's Selfishness Bared. But it is interesting to see the difference between the hypocrisy of Great Britain and the hypocrisy of Japan. Great Britain insisted upon a retention of its territory as a matter of unselfish world interest. Japan was more brutally frank. It insisted upon its retention as vital to its own interest.

The British centered their position on the retaining of the leased territory of Kowloon. Mr. Balfour told the conference that Great Britain must retain the territory because without it "Hongkong was perfectly indefensible and would be at the mercy of any enemy possessing modern artillery."

Nothing could be fairer than that. To protect Puget sound, the United States ought at once to acquire British Columbia. In the light of the range of modern artillery, Great Britain has an imaginable right to the possession of Calais, lest French artillery bombard Dover. By the same right, France is entitled to a leasehold of Dover, lest the British shoot holes into the harbor of Calais.

"He hoped," declared the official communiqué, "that he would carry the conference with him when he asserted that the safeguarding of the possession of Hongkong was not merely a British interest, but one in which the whole world was concerned."

Japan Not So Tactful. The Japanese have not yet become masters of that school of false pretense. They have not progressed beyond the primary grade of setting up their own desires as the motive force for their operations. Therefore, when the Japanese declared that they would not abandon Port Arthur and Dairen, they merely said so in so many Japanese words. The official communiqué translates their pretension as follows:

"The Japanese delegates desire to make it clear that Japan has no intention at present to relinquish the important rights she has lawfully acquired and at no small sacrifice. The territory in question forms a part of Manchuria—a region where, by reason of its close proximity to Japan's territory, more than anything else, she has vital interests in that which relates to her economic life and national safety."

Is it any wonder, that after such an exhibition of promising one thing and doing another, France should have felt impelled to suspend all its promises for the restoration of Kwanchowan. But the day's hypocrisy was not yet complete. Lest even this series of empty pledges prove embarrassing, Japan questioned the right of the Chinese delegation to sit as the representatives of China or to make promises in its behalf. There could, of course, be no restoration at all according to this contention, if the credentials of the Chinese delegation could be successfully questioned because of the internal conflict between Peking and Canton. If Peking were making new grants of Chinese territory there would be no doubt about its authority. But when it comes to a return of stolen property, Peking must first demonstrate an inviolable title to its own government.

This will have an important bearing on Russian interests in the Far East. China has at least a government recognized by the powers. Russia has none. Therefore nothing will be restored to Russia and the promise of Russian integrity, despite all of Secretary Hughes' fatuous nonsense about a "moral trusteeship," will add another chapter to the hypocrisy of the conference.

What is the interest of the United States in all of this? Just this. The United States, as the Government which called the conference and as a nation which is to subscribe to the agreements that result from it, must either accept these treacherous doctrines and stand sponsor for them to the despoiled peoples of China and of Russia, or it must reject them. If it rejects them, it must wreck the conference and admit that the combined imperialism of England and Japan.

It is not a pleasant prospect. It becomes less so when we contemplate the show of opinion with which our State Department representatives made public the proceedings of this conference session.

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